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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

1906
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File No. 221

Serial Nos. 1—12

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Month February 1908

SUBJECT.

Taking over under Govt management the temple of Sri Durgamma at Antargatte Kadur Taluk.

PREVIOUS REFERENCES.

LATER REFERENCES.

May 1- 17-08

MUZRAI SECRETARIAT.

OFFICE NOTE.

File No.

SUBJECT.

In re the taking over under Govt management of the temple of Sri Durgamma at Antargatte, Kadur Taluk.

From

The Dy. Commissioner, Kadur District, and 2 memorials from Nadiga Ramanna to H. H. the Maharaja

No 308 Dated 18th January 1908. (no. 887/2965 Dy 22 January 1908)

(Slip A)

Nadiga Ramanna of Antargatte village in the Nallur Hobli of the Kadur Taluk memorialized H. H. the Maharaja complaining of several irregularities during the car-festival of Sri Durgamma temple at the place and praying that the temple and its endowments may be taken under Government management and certain Inam land originally in the temple khata, may be restored for the benefit of the institution.

The memorial which was referred for disposal to this office was forwarded

for report to the Deputy Commissioner, Kanara District, and that Officer has submitted a detailed report thereon together with the Vernacular records bearing on the Subject.

The Deputy Commissioner reports (Pa that the temple at Antangatte referred to by the memorialists, is dedicated to the goddess Antargattamma or Durgamma and is held in great veneration by a large number of devotees; that an annual jatra is held for a week in the month of Magha (January or February), attended by a host of devotees, traders etc. numbering from 10 to 15 thousand people, and that as many as 2000 carts collect on the occasion; that the average income of the temple may be about Rs 400/ annually, the bulk of which being realized during the jatra. That officer further states that during the jatra of 1904, owing to disputes and misunderstanding among the Vahivatdars, the total realizations amounted to Rs 238-5-11

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That the Valmatdars put the estimate at about Rs 250/ per year; that the income of the temple is susceptible of considerable increase under proper safe guards as the jatra is the biggest in the District; and that a small fee of 6 pies may be levied on each cart that collects at the jatra, the amount being utilized in part towards the sanitary needs of the place and that a proposal to hold an annual Cattle show is in this view

He continues as follows: —

The management of the affairs of the temple devolves on the 3 ×Margin
ally-noted Valmatdas, the fourth being
a minor, and the two Valmatdars other
than the memorialist Ramanna,
have also agreed to the managemen

(1) Ramanna (petitioner)
2) Patel Krishnappa
3) Shanbhogue Lingappa
4) A minor (Bidinane Ramanna)

being entrusted to Government. It is further reported that the Puja in the temple is conducted by 12 persons in turns each for one month receiving Thirtha Kanike and rice as remuneration for their services A scale of expenditure amounting to Rs 194-5-0 particularized in the Dy. Commr's. letter which was prepared by the Valmatdars and the Villagers is also received. The Dy. Commissioner is of opinion that the affairs of the temple in question may be taken under Government management as recommended by the Amildar and concurred in by the Assistant Commissioner and adds that on receipt of sanction, a list of Dharmadarsis will be called for and submitted(From the Amildar's

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report, it is observed that properties

(Slip B) in gold, silver etc. belonging to the temple are valued at nearly 6000 Rs.

As regards the occurrence of certain irregularities complained of by the memorialist, it is reported that during the recent jatra, the Amildar was present,

(Slip C) that no irregularities as alleged by Narig Ramanna occurred on the occasion; but that three persons lost their lives by reason of the car running accidentally over them.

As to the Inam lands originally endowed to the temple, it is reported that the institution was under Govt. management up to the year 1841, when it was handed over to the Village Mukhtesar Krishnaji on the ground that it was unnecessary,

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to keep the temple under Muzrai
management any longer and that
Inam lands measuring A 24-30 Cs and
assessed at Rs 15/- were then resumed
To Govt. The Inam Superintendent (Slip D)
who was requested to give an
expression of his opinion in the matter
of the restoration of these lands
reports that the lands were resumed
to Government before the commence-
ment of the Inam Settlement;
that the question was not brought
to the notice of the Inam Department,
and as such, he is unable to give
any opinion in the matter.

Nadiga Ramanna has again
memorialized H. H. the Maharaja (Slip E)
representing that this year's Jatra
will commence from the 10th proximo,

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and perhaps for early orders in the matter of taking the temple under Government management.

This memorial is referred to
(Slip F). this office in continuation of the former memorial, with the enquiry as to how the case has been disposed of

AV 28.1.08. Submitted
28.1.08

Muzrai Secretary's remarks:—

The temple is not a Muzrai institution. It has neither cash Jaadik nor land inam from the Government. It is stated that it had some land inams and was under Govt. management in former days but it would appear that so far back as 1841 the management

was given away to private individuals and the inam lands were resumed As it is now reported that the 3 Vahivatdars are themselves willing to make over the management to the Govt and as large collections appear to be made during the Jatra of every year, I think that the Deputy Commissioner's proposal that Govt should take up the management may be sanctioned The D/ Commissioner may be asked to immediately take up the management and see the collections made on the old lines during the coming Jatra - 10th February 1908. He may be asked to make a clear report after the conclusion of the Jatra as to the amounts realized and also to submit his proposals

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as to the future management of the temple, the scale of expenditure, the Dharmadarsis to be appointed and so on.

After issue of orders, the file will be submitted to H.H. for information as desired in the Private Secretary's memo of the 21st January 1908.

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Submitted to the Dewan thro' the 2nd Commissioner

T. Ramakrishna Rao

29.1.1908

The Temple may be taken over under muzrai management - and the proposals made by the Muzrai Secretary approved

Submitted to the 2nd Commr for orders 6/2/08

Approved 6/2/08

1837/31

Draft issue 6/2/08

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File No. of 190 Muzrai Secretariat.

Submitted to His Highness.

These papers relate to a memorial from one Ramanna of Anterghatte Village, Kadur Taluk, bringing to notice certain irregularities at the car festival of the Sri Durgamma temple of Anterghatte and praying that the temple and its endowments may be taken under Government management. The petition was referred to the Muzrai Secretary for disposal and intimation as to how the case had been disposed of. (Vide Private Secretary's memo No. 2783 dated 21st January 1908).

The accompanying copy of the Government order dated 11th February 1908 on the subject explains the facts of the case and the action now proposed to be taken. On receipt of the report, which the Deputy Commissioner has been requested to submit, after the conclusion of this year's Jatra, further orders will be issued regarding the future management of the temple, the scale of expenditure and other matters connected therewith.

20/2/1908

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

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Memorial of Ramanna of Anterghatte village, Kadur Taluk, praying that the temple of Sri Durgamma thereat and its endowments may be taken under Government management.

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Order.

~~KRW~~
24/2/08

To the Revy. Secy. P.O. for
24.2.08

Received 25.2.08.

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KRW
26/2/08

Orders have been issued
Note in H.H's Petn Regr &
file
6/3/08

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No. 1995/3

Office of the Private Secretary to
His Highness the Maharaja
of Mysore.

The Palace Bangalore 15th February 07

Petition as shown below, to His Highness the Maharaja, is transferred to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, in the Huzur Department, Bangalore, for disposal.

Order,

Sd/- J. J. Whitoley

Private Secretary

to H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

No. 982 of 06-07

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From

To

The Dy Commr

Kadur Distt

Dated 27

Despatched February 07

Received

General No. 4175

No.

Enclosure No. 1

Has the honor to forwar

herewith for favor of enquiry

and report

our ~~disposal~~ memorial

registered no 982/3850 dated

16th February 1907 addressed

to H H the Maharaja by

Nadiga Ramanna of Anke

gatte village in the Nallur

Hobli of the Kadur Taluk

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temple at the place together with its endowments may be taken under Govt management and needful arrangements ~~may be~~ made for the regular conduct of services therein.

By order,

Sd/- 23/2/07
Secretary

Sd/
20/2/07

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Office of the Private Secretary to
His Highness The Maharaja of Mysore.

No. 2057/4

Bangalore, 20th February 1907

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21-2-07

Four Petitions as shown below, to His Highness the Maharaja, are transferred to the Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, in the Hungri Department, Bangalore, for disposal

No. 1034 to 1037 of 06-07

By Order,

I. C. S.
Private Secretary
to H. H. The Maharajah of Mysore.

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From

To

The Deputy Commr.
Kadur Dist.

Dated

Despatched 4. 3. 07

Received

General No. 4281

No.

Enclosure No. Nil

Has the honor to forward herewith for report memorial registered no. 7036/3923 dated 21st February 1907 addressed to H. H. The Maharaja by Nadiga Ramanna of Antharagatte, Kadur Taluk praying that the Temple of Sri Antharagatteyamma

a the place may be
taken under Government
Management, as it is being
mismanaged

By order,

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Secretary.

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GOVT. OF H. H. THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

MUZRAI DEPARTMENT.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

No. 5631 Ex-07

The accompanying Petition No. 3693

dated 4.2.1907 received at this Office from Nadiga Ramanna of Antaragatte, Kadur Taluk praying that the temple of Sri Antharagatteyamma at the place may be taken under Govt management

is forwarded, ~~together with its enclosures~~, to the Deputy Commr Kadur with report for ~~disposal~~ in continuation of the marginally noted communications from this office.

By Order,

DBH 4/2/07

Secretary,
Muzrai Department.

BANGALORE,
3/2/1907

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+ " 5463 dt 18:5:1907.

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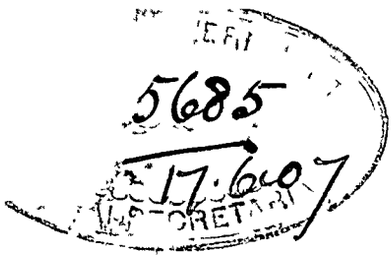

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From
The Deputy Commissioner
Kadur District

To
The Secretary to the Govt of Mysore
Mysore dept

Refers
Dl
17/6/07
Pft Submitted.

Dated 12th

Despatched 14th June

Received

General No. 732.
No. 7

Enclosure No. 1 & 1 file.

Reporting on the memorial of Nadiga Ramanna of Antargatte, Kadur Taluk, praying that the temple of Durgamma at the place may be taken over to Govt management

From: D. Devaraj Urs Esq
Deputy Commissioner
Kadur District.

To: L. Ananta Sami Rao Esq BA,
Secretary to Govt of H. H. the
Maharaja of Mysore,
Muzrai Department.

Dated, Chikmagalur, 12th June 1907.

Sir,

With reference to your docket No 4287 dated 26th March 1907, forwarding for report memorial, Reg No 1034/3923, dated 21st February 07, addressed to H H. The Maharaja of Mysore, by Nadiga Ramanna of Antargatte, Kadur Taluk, praying that the Temple of Durgamma at Antargatte in the Kadur Taluk may be taken over to Government management, I have the honor to state that the temple is dedicated to the goddess Antargatlamma or Durgamma, and is held in great veneration by a large number

number of devotees who frequently resort to worship there

2. An annual jatra is held for a week in the month of Magha (January or February) and is attended by a host of devotees, traders, &c., numbering as many as 10 to 15 thousand people. It is also reported that as many as 2000 carts collect there.

3. From the amildar's detailed report No 294, it is seen that the temple was once endowed with Inam land assessed at Rs 15-15-0 and that it was resumed at the Survey Settlement. The temple has now neither land nor cash Inam. The circumstances under which the land was resumed have been ordered to be reported. The villagers say that if the Inam is restored to the income will be utilized by daily rice.

4. The management of the affairs of the temple

On 3 persons who are Vahivatdars

named in the margin, the fourth being a minor.

(1) Ramanna (Petitioner)
(2) Patel Krishnappa
(3) Shambhoga Lingappa
(4) A minor (Biddimane Ramanna)

5. It is also reported by the Amildar that the average income of the temple may be about Rs 400 annually, the bulk of which being realized during the Jatra

6. During the present year however the realizations amounted to Rs 238-5-11 Composed of the marginally noted items and the decreased income is attributed to the disputes and misunderstandings amongst the Vahivatdars themselves. The Vahivatdars put the Estimate at about Rs 250/- per year and add that the income will be greater in

69-15-11 Golaka Collections
{62-6-0 / 32-8-0} Shop tax
25-4-0 Sale of buffaloes
41-12-0 From Kanikes
6-8-0 unserviceable silver
238-5-11

in proportion to the attempts of the authorities in that direction. These people and the villagers have prepared a Jasdik patti Embodying the principal items of Expenditure in the temple Costing Rs 194/5 as Shown below.—

I During the car festival in Magha.

(1) Kalasa puja	11	— 0	— 0
(2) Feeding the Tyagi class	3	— 0	— 0
(3) Wakerman's Charges	7	— 0	— 0
(4) Balikallinapuja	2	— 0	— 0.
(5) Cost of 6 mds of oil	30	— 0	— 0.
(6) Feeding Charges.	70	— 0	— 0.

II Naivedya and Abhisekha. 24 — 0 — 0.
during the month of Sravana

III Abhisheka and oil charges during during Dwija. } 12 — 0 — 0

IV For daily Utsavam in Kartika. 20 — 0 — 0.

V For Temple musicians 5 — 5 — 0.

VI Repairs to Car &c. 10 — 0 — 0

194 — 5 — 0.

The puja is conducted by twelve persons in turns Each for a period of one month and these have agreed to the Thirthakattike and

rice given them

which they have been receiving hither-
to, So that there is no need for any
extra Expenditure in the Shape of
Puja allowance.

7. It is reported by the Amildar that the income of the temple is susceptible of considerable increase under proper safe guards as the Jatre is the biggest in the District. A Small fee of 6 pies may be levied on each Cart that collects at the Jatre as proposed, the amount being utilized in part to-wards the Sanitary needs of the place on the occasion My predecessor in office had proposed to hold an annual Cattle Show here and I myself have the same idea.

8. The other two Vahivaldars, besides the petitioner Ramanna, have also agreed to the management being entrusted to Govern-

ment

Government (vide statement of the villagers dated 1st March 1906, first No 5)

9 In the above circumstances I am of opinion that the affairs of the temple in question may be taken over to Government management as recommended by the Amildar and concurred in by the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Sub Division. On receipt of sanction a list of Dharmadharsies, who may be appointed to Supervise the affairs of the temple, will be called for and submitted.

10. The vernacular file of records on the subject ending with the Assistant Commissioner's yadi No 1152 dated 6th June 1907 is herewith submitted for reference and obliging return. It will be seen therefrom that the Durgamma and Antargattamma in Antargatte are one and the same deity, though the petitioner Ramanna has referred in his petition to both the names. The petitions are also returned.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for Deputy Commissioner
Kadur Division

Dft for approval

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From

To

The Dy Comme
Kadur District.

Dated

Despatched 6.7.07

Received

General No. 1471
No.

Enclosure No.

Adverting to his letter
no. 732 dated 12th June 1907,
reporting on the memorial of
Nadiga Ramanna of Antargatte,
Kadur Taluk, in the matter of
taking under Govt management
the temple of Durgamma at
the place, has the honor to
observe from the enclosed -
memorial no 982 dated 16th
February 1904, that mention is

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irregularities during the conduct of the recent car-festival of the deity. This point should be clearly reported upon.

2) It appears from the records that some Inam land was in the temple Kdhate. The circumstances under which it came to be resumed during the Survey Settlement should also ~~as promised~~, be ~~kindly~~ reported.

3) After a detailed report is received on the two points above set forth, the question of taking the institution under Govt management will be considered.

4) The vernacular records are herewith returned for reference and re-submission.

By order,

Sd) [illegible] 28/6/07

Secretary.

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Dff. submitted.

1907

From The Deputy-Commissioner
Kadur District

To The Secretary to the Govt.
of Mysore, Revenue Dept.

Dated 6th December 1907.

Despatched 6th

Received

General No. 243
No.

Enclosure No. 1 file

Furnishing necessary information in relation taking over under Govt. management the temple of Durgamma at Antargatte in the Kadur Taluk.

From

B. J. Kumarasami Naik Esq
B. A.,
Deputy Commissioner
Kadur District

To

L. Anantasami Rao Esq
B. A.,
Secretary to the Govt
of Mysore, Muzrai Dept.

Dated Chikmagalur 6th December 1907

Sir,

With reference to your docket No. 191 dated 16th July 1907, calling for certain information in the matter of taking over under Government management the temple of Durgamma at Antargatte in the Kadur Taluk, I have the honor to state that the Amildar reports that he was present during the recent jatra and that Patel Krishnappa and Shanbhog Lingappa undertook to manage the affairs of the temple at the time of the jatra at the request of Nagesick (minor) Vakivatdar for this year, and that no irregularities

irregularities as alleged by Vadiga Ramanna, (who it is reported is not on good terms with the said Patel and Shanbhog) occurred during the conduct of the recent car festival. It may, however, be mentioned here, that three persons lost their lives by reason of the car running accidentally over them.

2. As regards the point referred to in para 2 of your letter, the Amildar reports that the institution was under Government management up to the year 1841, when it was handed over to the village Mukhtesar Krishniah on the ground that it was unnecessary to keep the temple under Inamdar Management any longer and that the marginally noted Inam lands attached thereto were then resumed to Government.

S.No.	Kind	Extent	Assessment
17	dry	8-3	5-8-0
30	do	6-21	4-0-0
49	do	10-6	5-8-0
	Total	24-30	15-0-0

3. The Kannada file ending with the Divisional

onal Assistant Commissioners

Yadi No. 737 dated 29th October 1907 is herewith resubmitted for reference and obliging return.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

Deputy Commissioner

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From

2. Draft.

To

The Dy Commr

Kasaragod

Dated

Despatched 8/08

Received

General No. 2601

No.

Enclosure No. One letter

Referring to para (2) of his letter no 243 dated 6th December 1907, has the honour to request that the situation of the Inam lands referred to therein, which are said to have been originally endowed to the temple of Durgamma at Antargatte or the

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Taluk, but subsequently

discovered to Court, may be

kindly intimated to this office.

2) The vernacular records

are herewith returned for

reference and re-submission

By order

Secretary

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From The Deputy Commissioner
Kadur District

To The Secretary to the Government
of Mysore, Muzrai Department

Dated 18th

Despatched 18th January 1908

Received

General No. 308
No.

Enclosure No. 1 file.

Stating that the Inam lands endowed to the temple of Durgamma at Antarajatte in the Kadur Taluk are situated in the Antarajatte village in the same Taluk

From

K. R. Srinivasa Iyengar Esquire. M. A.,
Deputy Commissioner
Kadur District.

To.

L Anantasami Rao. Esquire. B. A.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore
Muzrai Department.

Sir,

With reference to your docket No. 3001 — dated the 8th instant, I have the honor to state that it will be seen from the copy of Paisal Patika attached to the Kannada file, that the Inam lands originally endowed to the Temple of Durgamma at Antarasatte in the Kadur Taluk, but subsequently resumed to Government, are situated in the Antarasatte village, Kadur Taluk.

The Kanada file connected with the case is herewith resubmitted.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
your most obedient Servant

Deputy Commissioner

Dft for approval
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2 Drafts

To,

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The Superintendent of -
Inam Settlements in Mysore

Sir,

No 23002 B/8.1.08

I am directed to state that the question of taking over under Govt management, the temple of Durgamma at - Antaragatte in the Kadur Taluk is before Govt As it was petitioned to Govt that certain Inam lands were originally in the temple khata, the Dy Commr was asked to report on this point That Inam lands, Officer reports that S nos 14, 30, 49 measuring a 24-g 30 ans assessed at Rs 15/ were in the enjoyment of the said temple up to the year 1841, when they were resumed to Govt I am

directed to request that you will be good enough to report after making a reference to the Inam Settlement and other papers, the circumstances which led to the resumption of the aforesaid lands together with your opinion in the matter of their restoration to the meth.

By the favor of an early reply is requested.

I have &c

Secretary

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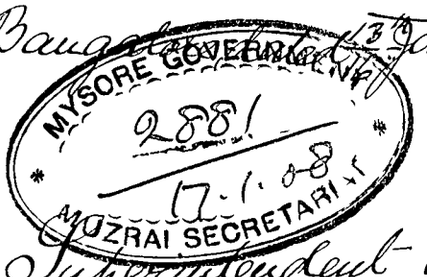
Inam Superintendent's Office

Bangalore, 13th January 1908

No: 74



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16/17.1.08

From

The Superintendent of Inam Settlements in Mysore

To

The Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Muzrai Department

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 3002 dated 8th January 1908, I have the honor to state that as the Inam lands belonging to the temple of Durgamma at Antargatte in the Kadur Taluk were resumed to Government so far back as 1844, (i.e.) before the commencement of the Inam Settlement, it was not brought to the notice of the Inam Department and as such, I am unable to give any opinion in the matter.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

D Srinivasa Rao

Superintendent of Inam Settlements in Mysore

OFFICE OF THE PRIVATE SECRETARY TO
HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

No. 1783/1

Madras, 21st. January 1908

Petition as shown below, to His Highness the Maharaja, is transferred to the Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore in the Muzrai Department, Bangalore, ~~for~~ in continuation of this Office No.2057 dated 20-2-07, with the enquiry as to how the case has been disposed of.

No. 887 of 07-08.

By Order,

I. C. S.
Private Secretary
to H. H. The Maharajah of Mysore.

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Lakes refer-
dated 17-08

Re d:-

Memorial registered No. 982 dated 14th. Februar. 1907, addressed to H .H. the Maharaja of Mysore by Vidya Pamanna of Antoratte village in the Malur (obli of the Kadur Taluk praying that the temple of the Sri Prasanna at the place may be taken over under Government management.

Correspondence ending with letter No. 508 dated 18th. January 1908 from the Deputy Commissioner Kadur istrict reporting on the above.

. Letter No. 74 dated 11th January 1908 from the Sup-erintendent of the Settlements in Mysore reporting on the inam lands originally endowed to the institution.

Order thereon No. 5[illegible]47 dated Bangalore [illegible] 1908

In his memorial read above, Vidwan Pandit of Anor-atte village in the Malur Taluk, Kadur Dist., complains of the various charities during the management of the temple at the place and prays that the temple together with its e ects may be taken under Government management and over all the lands or inam in the temple of , as hereto-fore

the benefit of the institution.

2. The Deputy Commissioner reports in the correspondence read above, that the temple at Vaitheeswaran Koil referred to by the memorialists, is dedicated to the goddess Thaiyalnayaki amman and is held in great veneration by a large number of devotees and that an annual Fair is held for a week in the month of Aadi (July or August) attended by a host of devotees, traders &c. that on the occasion about Rs.1,000 worth of coconuts are collected and that the average income of the temple is about Rs.400/- annually, a portion of which is realised by the Fair. The Deputy Commissioner further states that the Hindu Mohammedan dispute referred to by the petitioners, has already been amicably settled and that the income of the temple is about Rs.900/- annually, and that the income of the temple is capable of considerable increase, if proper safeguards are taken. The Fair is held in the Chidambaram District, and the Deputy Commissioner of that District, who has collected the facts, has come to the conclusion that the allegations of the petitioners are not correct. In the absence of any evidence to the contrary, we see no reason to interfere with the finding of the Deputy Commissioner, and the petition is dismissed.

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& 2 adult Vahivatdars other than the memorialist& Ramanna have also agreed to the management being entrusted to Government and that the Puje inthe temple is conducted by 12 persons in ~~terms~~ turns each for one month receiving Mirha- anie and rice as remuneration for their services. The Deputy Commissioner is of opinion that the temple in question may be taken under Government management and adds that on receipt of sanction a list of Dharmadrois will be submitted.

3. As regards the occurrence of certain irregularities complained of by the memorialist, it is reported that during the recent Jatra the Amildar was present, that no irregularities as alleged by Yadiga Ramna occurred on the occasion, but that three persons lost their lives on account of the car running accidentall over them.

4. As for the Inam lands originally endowed to the temple, it is reported that the institution was under Government management up to the year 1841, when it was handed over to the village authorities Trishuldi on the ground that it was unnecessary to keep the temple under Government management, however and that Inam lands measuring 4-26 and assessed at Rs 15/) were ~~after~~ then resumed to Government. The Inam Superintendent who was requested to give an expression of his opinion in the matter of the restoration of these lands, reports that the Inam lands in question were resumed to Government before 20 years

of the Iram settlement, that the question has not been brought to the notice of the Iram Department and he is therefore unable to give any opinion in the matter.

5. Under the circumstances stated above, and seeing that the Jamaulli Vahivatdars are themselves willing to take over the management, and as large collections appear to be made during the term of every year, the Government are pleased to sanction the Deputy Commissioner's recommendation that the people of Iram may be permitted to collect immediately taken up under the management of Government, the collections being made on the old lines and the present practice is allowed to the people to collect breach with interest. The Deputy Commissioner may submit a clear report after the conclusion of the Revenue Courts realized and also to submit a proposal for the future management of the people heads of the collections shall be made, the scale of establishment, the Darbarkhas to

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Draft as per Dewans order
Mysore

Read:

Memorial registered no 982 dated 13th February 1907 addressed to H. H. the Maharaja by Nadiga Ramanna of Antaragatte village in the Kallur Hobli of the Kadur Taluk praying that the temple of Sri Durgamma at the place may be taken over under Govt management

-Correspondence ending with letter no 308 dated 18th January 1908 from the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District reporting on the above

Letter no 44 dated 13th January 1908 from the Superintendent of Inam Settlements in Mysore

originally endowed to the institution

Order thereon no 3637-9/Dy. 11th Feby. 1908.

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In his memorial read above, Nadiga Ramanna of Antargatte village in the Nallur Hobli, Kadur Taluk, Complains of irregularities during the Car-festival of Sri Durgamma temple at the place and prays that the temple together with its endowments may be taken under Government management and certain Inam land originally in the temple Khata, may be restored for the benefit of the institution.

2 The Deputy Commissioner reports that

in ~~his~~ the correspondence read above, that the temple at Antaragatte referred to by the memorialists, is dedicated to the goddess Antargattamma or Durgamma and is held in great veneration by a large number of devotees, that an annual jatra is held for a week in the month of Magha (January or February) attended by a host of devotees, traders etc that as many as 2000 carts collect on the occasion, and that the average income of the temple ~~may be~~ is about ~~Rs~~ 400£ annually, the bulk of which ~~being~~ is realized during the jatra That Officer further states that during the jatra of 1905

the Valinatdaars, the total realizations amounted to Rs 238-5-11, that the Valinatdaars put the estimate at about ~~Rs~~ 250/ per year, that the income of the temple is susceptible of considerable increase under proper safe guards as the jatra is the biggest in the District, and that a small fee of six pies may be levied on each cart that collects at the jatra, the amount being utilized in part towards the sanitary needs of and in part towards the improvement of the temple, the place, and that a proposal to hold an annual cattle show is in his view. He also ~~further~~ reports that the management of the affairs of the temple

(memorialist)
Patel Krishnappa
Shanbhogue Lingappa.
(47) Bidinsane Ramanna
(a minor)

deceases on the 3 marginally noted Valmeatdars the fourth being a minor adult on that the 2 Valmeatdars & others than the memorialist is Ramanna, have also agreed to the management being entrusted to Government, and that the Bage in the temple is conducted by 12 persons in turns each for one month receiving Thirtha - Kanike and rice as remuneration for their services ~~A scale of expenditure prepared by the Valmeatdars and the Villages is also received~~ The Deputy Commissioner is of opinion that the temple in question may be taken under Govt. management and addn. on receipt of Sanction, a list of Dharmadars

will be submitted.

3. As regards the occurrence of certain irregularities complained of by the memorialist, it is reported that during the recent jatra the Amildar was present, that no irregularities as alleged by Rodiga Ramanaia occurred on the occasion, but that three persons lost their lives by reason of the car running accidentally over them

4. As for the Inam lands originally endowed to the temple, it is reported that the institution was under Government management up to the year 1841, when it was handed over to the village Mukhtesar Krishniah on the ground that it was unnecessary

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to give an expression of
his opinion in the matter
of the restoration of
these lands, reports -
that the Inam lands
in question were resumed
to Govt before the commence-
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Settlement. That the
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to the notice of the -
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the Govt. It is stated
that it has some lands
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Govt management in
former days but it
would appear that so
far back as 1841, the
management was given
away to private
individuals and the
~~Inam lands were resumed~~
5. Under the circumstances stated above, and being
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that the 3 Vahivatdars
are themselves willing
to make over the manage-
ment, ~~to the Government~~
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every year, the Govt are pleased to sanction the Deputy Commissioners ~~proposal~~ recommendation that the temple of Sri Durgamma in qr should be immediately taken up under the management of Govt, the collections being made on the old lines during the ~~present~~ ensuing jatra, which is alleged by the memorialist to commence from the 10th instant The Deputy Commissioner is requested to make a clear report after the conclusion of the jatra as to the amounts realized and also to submit his proposals regarding ~~as to the~~ future management of the heads under wh collections shd be made in the temple, the Rs of expenditure.

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with the Temple — and other points connected

Dewan's order) 11/2/08

Secretary.
11/2/08

To,
The Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District, returning
the records.

The Comptroller
Mysore Govt.

The Superintendent
of Inam Settlements.

Draft as per Dewan's minute

ನಂ. 3640ಪಿ/11th Feby. 1906

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